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Title: LASER AMPLIFYING SYSTEM

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- (1) Patent Application Specification, including Abstract and claims - 27 pages
(2) Six (6) sheet(s) of formal drawings, together with transmittal letter
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 - c. [] Deletion of inventor(s) – signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application.
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- (7) [] Preliminary Amendment
- (8) [X] Certified Copy of Priority Document, together with separate transmittal letter
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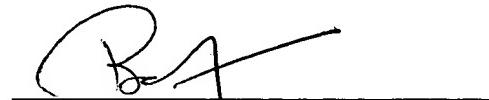
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- (15) [] Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:
- (16) [X] This application claims the benefit of German Patent Application No. 100 38 006.9 filed on August 4, 2000.
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- (18) [X] Pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. Sections 1.10 and 1.53, Applicants respectfully request that this application be assigned a serial number and a filing date of August 2, 2001, the date upon which the application was mailed to the Patent and Trademark Office by Express Mail (No. EL 827616637 US).

Respectfully submitted,



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TRANSMITTAL OF FORMAL DRAWINGS

Dear Sir:

Enclosed are six (6) sheets of formal drawings for filing in the above-referenced patent application.

Please advise the undersigned attorney if correction is necessary.

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